# JAMES EXTOLLS **ADMINISTRATION**

## Kentucky Senator Addresses **Democratic Convention**

## Assumes Permanent Chairmanship With Speech Praising Wilson

sion of the Democratic national convention was called to order shortly terday, the big Coliseum was packed to the doors. Rev. J. J. Glennon, archbishop of St. Louis, offered prayer.

gates was the hearing of the several committee on permanent organization, in its report, presented the name of Senator Ollie M. James of Kentucky as permanent chairman of the convention. This report was adopted Temporary Chairman Glynn then introduced Mr. James. who was accorded a flattering ovation. He responded by delivering an extended speech, in which he extolled the achievements of the Democratic administration. Reports of other committees were adopted without de-

In his address as permanent chair

In his address as permanent chairman, Senator James praised the present administration for its "matchless" record of momises kept and for freeing the senate from the control of the great interests by making it elective by the people at the polls and for driving invisible government, the lobby, out of Washington." He declared the party was proud of its achievement in writing into law the present Underwood-Simmons tariff bill. "Not a schedule in it fosters a monopoly; not a rate in it protects a trust," he said. "One of the greatest features of the tariff law," he added. "is the income tax, which raises from the fortunes of the rich, the prosperous, the well-to-do people of the nation, \$120,000,000 per annum and lifts this burden off the tables and backs of the poor."

Mr. James said he did not fear foreign competition here after the war. America is going to take the markets of the world, he asserted. With freight rates and cost of transportation in our favor, we have nothing to fear, declared the speaker.

The chairman declared that the federal reserve law had emancipated the credit of the nation. Panics no longer are possible, he said.

Preparedness.

Discussing preparedness, he declar ed that democracy believes in preparedness without militarism. During this administration, he stated, more has been done to build up an army and navy in three years than the Republican party did in forty years of his bride. its existence. Self-defense and preparation for it is necessary, he declared.

Discussing international problems. Mr. James highly praised the administration's policy toward war torn Europe, and said in reference to the Lusitania incident that our president, "patient, patriotic, farsighted, the real statesman, handled this question with

Cincinnati, June 15 .- Five city fire men were injured, two seriously, in a gas explosion. Workmen were engaged in tearing up the street, when leaking gas became ignited. They rushed from the ditch and called the department, the explosion occurring when the firemen attempted to smoth-

St. Louis, June 15 .- The second ses. | the greatest ability and won for America its greatest diplomatic victory.' Ref rring to the Mexican situation Mr. James said President Wilson has after the noon hour today by Tem- handled it ably and that "his policy porary Chairman Glynn. As on yes- has been the same as that of Abraham Lincoln under like conditions more than half a century ago." He added: When American soil was invaded the presidently quickly ordered the The first business before the dele- United States troops into Mexico upon their punitive expedition. The convention committee reports. The are there now and, I have no doubt, will remain as long as there is a pos sibility of the capture and punish ment of the murderers who invaded American soil or are needed for the

> the border." Mr. James then attacked the Repub lican platform and its attitude on the ship subsidy question, criticised as verely the Republican attitude on the rural credits and anti-trust propositions and closed with a glowing eu

protection of American lives along

Gossett, who won the statewide spell-George C. Carter of Greenville, winner of the 1916 contest, challenging Carter to a match to determine whether the 1915 spellers were better than those of 1916. Both boys are high school students.

# MARRIAGE

Kenton, O., June 15 .- After a courtship of forty-two years, P. L. Yates, sixty-seven, and Miss Kate Reager. fifty-six, have been married. Their courtship began in school. Yates said he believed he could never marry until he owned 1,000 acres of land and had built and furnished a home for

Findlay, O., June 15.-Lightning struck a wire fence David Schwab was repairing, knecked him senseless. melted his glasses, burned streaks down his arms and legs and tore his clothing to shreds. The fact that he was wearing rubber boots, physicians say, saved him from death.

Passenger Steamer Aground. San Francisco June 15 .- The pascisco and Portland Steamship company went ashore in a tog at Sugar Mrs. Kermit Roossvelt, who came up Loaf, a promontory seventy miles from Panama, is believed to have cramps while he was attempting to Cooke, Bellevue high school student, south of Eureka. The battleship Ore | loosened, a muscle in his left side. The gon is reported standing by. A life- colonel had x-ray photographs taken | Richard She day, thirty-five, member | ning, eighteen, Bellevue, had two ribs saving crew from Eureka has gone to of his side. The dector says that his the vessel's aid.

## DEMOCRATS IN CLOSE COMMUNION DISCUSSING THE ST. LOUIS CONVENTION



bury of Delaware and 3, Joseph E. nings Bryan, who is not, for the first Hillsboro, O., June 15,-Claude C. Davies of the federal trade commis- time in many years, either a delegate commission and until recently chairsion discussing Democratic politics. or an alternate, but a reporter of the ing bee in 1915, mailed a challenge to The other pictures, "snapshots" of proceedings, as he was in Chicago: prominent Democrats at the national Secretary Baker of the war depart convention in St. Louis, are of Robert

At the top of the accompanying pic | L. Henry of Texas, chairman of the ment, who went to St. Louis, it is gengroup shows: 1, Secretary important house of representatives' erally believed, as the personal repre-McAdoo; 2, Senator Willard Sauls committees on rules; William Jen-

sentative of President Wilson; Jo- army. seph E. Davies of the federal trade at-arms of the convention.

## ALIENS CHARGED WITH POLITICAL BLACKMAIL

Washington, June 15 .- A charge that foreign-born citizens of the United States are trying to levy political blackmall and to undermine the influ ence of the national government was made by President Wilson in a speech here. He declared that not since the civil war had it been tested as it now is being tested whether the Stars and Stripes stood for any one united pur-"There is disloyalty active in the United States and it must be absolutely crushed," declared the president, speaking emphatically. "It proceeds from a minority, a very small minority, but a very active and subtle minority. That is the sort of thing against which the American nation will turn with a might and triumph of

sentiment which will teach these gen tlemen once for all that disloyalty to

in the United States." Thurber For Hughes.

Sees Own Appendix Removed. Sees Own Appendix Removed.
Akron. O. June 15.—Dr. B. O. Miller had his appendix cut out without taking an anaesthetic. He watched the operation with been interest.

# X-RAY EXAMINATION

New York, June 15 .- Colonel Roose- 1 senger steamer Bear of the San Fran A coughing spell which he had on thrown from a horse May 24, 1915. the way to the pier to meet Mr. and condition is not serious.

The examination disclosed a slight velt was taken ill in town and forced breaking of the muscles around the to postpone his return to Oyster Bay. rib which was broken when he was Swimmer Drowned.

Akron, O Jane 15 .- Seized with swim across has e Anna, Barberton, was killed instantly, and Frank Sinof a caraltal company there, was

# BACKHUS IS

Columbus, June 15 .- Discovery that this flag is the first test of tolerance | Henry M. Backhus, who figured conspicuously in all the litigation growing out of the failure of the Columbus Savings and Trust company, is in Ok-Columbus. June 15 .- Charles E. lahoma, will operate to postpone the Thurber, former secretary of the Pro- case of I. B. Cameron, former state gressive state executive committee, treasurer, who is charged with coasaid he will support Charles E. verting public funds to his own use. Hughes, presidential nominee, and Backhus was to have been the prosethe entire Republican ticket, this cuting witness.

Granville, O., June 15 .- Gifts totaling \$500,226.41 towards the campaign for half a million and nearly \$100,000 toward a second half million; 150 acres of land, embracing a beautiful natural amphitheater on which to construct a stadium, were the welcome announcements made by President C. W. Chamberlain at Denison's eighty-fifth commencement,

Boy Killed In Auto Accident. Sandusky, O., June 15 .- Leonard ed turtle half a mile east of here.

# MAKE PROGRESS

Substantial Advance Reported on 250 Mile Front.

## CZERNOWITZ IS THREATENED

Furious Battle Raging For Possession of the Bridgehead of the Bukowina Capital-Offensive Launched Against Field Marshal Von Hinden burg's Lines-Germans Report Gain In Verdun Sector.

London, June 15 .- On the whole 250 mile front, from the northern line of Volhypia to the Roumanian frontier, the armies of General Brusiloff have made progress during the past twenty-four hours, despite the fact that, according to Petrograd's admis sion, the Austro-German resistance has become extremely stubborn.

A furious battle is raging for the possession of the bridgehead of Czernowitz, the Bukowina capital. The Russian war office announced the capture of the city of Sniatyn, twenty mlles to the northwest of Czernowitz. Vienna admitted the appearance of Russian cavalry there.

The occupation of the city by infantry forces renders the defense of tion with a view to threshing out the Czernowitz extremely perilous, as the question of the unit rule. Some Tam-Russians are now in a position to sweep southward and cut off the defenders of the Bukowina capital, should they insist on holding out to

Six thousand men and twenty officers were added to the number of prisoners taken since the offensive be The total number now is re- from ported to be 121,720, including 1,720 makes this development interesting,

The first massed attack against Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's lines | Marshall will assume really serious since the offensive in the south be- proportions. gan was delivered Wednesday north of Baronovitchi. The attack was recording to both the German and Aus- think that his strength may be a mattrian official reports, each broke ter of some surprise. They contend down under the Teuton fire with seri- that they have broken into the Texas ous losses to the attackers, who, in and Tennessee delegations and, with the retreat, were placed under the rumbles being heard in New York, the shell fire of their own artillery.

These attacks marked the initiation, interest. President Wilson's lieutenit is believed, of a general Russian ants can't believe, however, that offensive in the north, aimed at crush- there is any likelihood of the Sulliing in the Teuton front to remove the van strength becoming at all alarmdanger of a general flanking move- ing. ment against General Brusiloff's

Further progress in the region of the Thiaumont farm, on the east bank | ble, to force the adoption of a declaraman of the commission, and Charley of the Meuse river, in the Verdun re- tion in the platform describing. White, the famous referee, sergeant- gion, is announced in the official state- Charles E. Hughes, the Republican cently taken from the British southeast of Zillebeke, in the Ypres sector.

## LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

FAST BUFFALO, June 15.

CHICAGO, June 15. Cattle—Native heef steers, \$7 50@11 40; stockers and feeders, \$4678 80; cows and heighers, \$4678 10; calves, \$5 50@11. Hogs—Light, \$9 25@8 80; mixed, \$9 40 Hogs-Light \$9 2569 80: mixed, \$9 40 80 90; heavy, \$9 2569 90: roughs, \$9 359 95 50; pigs, \$7 5068 90. Sheep and Lambs-Weihers, \$7 206 82; hambs, \$7 60611 50. Receipts-Cuttle, 18 000; hogs, 23,000; sheep and lambs, 16,000 Tue, \$5 20; home, \$1,000 hogs, \$2,000; sheep and lambs, \$1,000 hogs, \$2,000 hogs, \$1,000 hogs, \$2,000 hogs, \$1,000 hogs, \$1,000

# 50; bulls, \$697 25; cows, \$495; caives, \$12912 25.

Hogs—Yorkers \$9 75; heavies and mediums, \$9 75; pigs, \$3 25; roughs, \$8 60; stags, \$7 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Wethers, \$787 25; ewes, \$6 5096 75; lambs, \$10 50913.

Receitps—Cattle, 200; hogs, 2,500; sheep and lambs, 1,000; caives, 150.

The property of the resolutions committee. PITTSBURGH, June 15.

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Cattle—Choice fat steers, \$10 15@10 15, butcher steers, \$8 55@9 60; helfers, \$6 56 @C 75; cows, \$6@6 25; bulls, \$7@9; calves.
\$12 50. 112 50.

Hogs—Heavies and heavy Yorkers.
19. 8669 96; light Yorkers. 19 7569 96;
pigs. 38 6569 50.

Sheep and Lumbs—Top sheep, 37 75;
top lambs. 50 75.

Receipts—Hogs. 2.500; sheep and lambs.

1,000; calves, 26 CINCINNATI, June 15. CINCINNATI, June 15.
Cattle—Steers, Sept to not heifers, 35.50

off 15; cows \$1 75-7 75; calves, \$5-61150;
Hogs—Parkers and butchers, \$9 55-9

75; common to choice, \$7 50-66; pigs
and lights, \$6 50-85 35; stags, \$6-67.

and lights, \$6 56978 25; stags, \$6977.
Sheep and Lumbs—Sheep, \$3@7 25; lambs, \$1991 40.
Receipts—Cattle, 2.805; hogs, 5.109; sheep and lambs, 4.800.
BOSTON, June 15.
Wood—Chio and Pennsylvania fleeces; Delaine washed, \$7@38c; half blood combins, \$7@38c; three-eighths broken when Cooke's automobile turn- combing, 400 41c; delaine unwashed,

# RUSSIAN ARMIES SECOND PLACE IS SOUGHT

By Sullivan Who; Would Like Marshall's Job

Will Permit His Name to Go Before the Convention.

## **ADMINISTRATION NOT ALARMED**

Element In the Party Would Force the Adoption of a Declaration in the Platform Describing Candidate Hughes as the "Political Representative of the Pro-German Influence." Developments at the Convention.

St. Louis, June 15 .- Opposition tothe renomination of Vice President Thomas R. Marshall has developed in of it Canirman Edwin S. Harris decided to call a meeting of the delegamany men say they will vote for Roger Sullivan of Illinois as President Wilson's running mate rather than

Mr. Marshall, The alleged fact that both Tammany and Sullivan have been in the same boat as regards recognition. the national administration although there seems to be no likelihood that the New York opposition to

There is no doubt now that Sullivan intends to allow his name to go be fore the convention. His supporters Sullivan movement is regarded with

An influential element in the Democratic party is determined, if possiment issued by the German war of nominee, as the political representafice. The statement also announced tive of pro-German influence in the the loss of a part of the positions re- United States. Those who would have Mr. Hughes so attacked are Senator Williams of Mississippi, Senator Husting of Wisconsin and Representative Glass of Virginia, all leaders of prominence in party affairs in Washington. It is known that the Cattle—Shipping, \$56:11 40; butchers, \$186:10; heifers, \$7 506:9 75; cows, \$4 50:00 president is opposed to any direct \$25; cows and springers, \$50:6119; calves, personal attack of this character upon Hogs—Heavy and mixed, \$10 20:010 25; Yorkers, \$9 75:010 25; plcs. \$9 75; roughs, \$8 65:08 \$5; stags. \$6:67 25.

Sheep and Lambs—Yearlings. \$5 50:00 10 50; wethers, \$5:00 25; ewes. \$4:07 50; mixed sheep. \$7 50:07 75; lambs, \$7:012.

Receipts—Cattle 100; hoss. 1.600; sheep and lambs. 600; calves, 150.

CHICAGO, June 15. some reference to the Republicans inc

CLEVELANO. June 15.

Cattle—Choice for steers, \$9 50@10 25:
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bulls, \$8@7 25: cows, \$4\partial 8; calves,

tion condemning the activity. As a

Carrollton, O., June 15 .- L. G. Steware offered a reward of \$100 for the arrest and return of his daughter, Martha Leona Stewart, fourteen, who eloped on June 3 with Charles C. Wheatley, twenty-six. On April 10, Wheatley married Nellie Stewart. Later he became infatuated with his wife's sister and they eloped. They were last seen in Canton on June 3, Sheriff Galbraith said.